



Docket No.: 42390P11636

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

PAUL D. RIETZE, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/086,410

Filed: November 20, 2001

For: **A COMMON BOOT ENVIRONMENT FOR A  
MODULAR SERVER SYSTEM**

Art Group: 2841

Examiner: Hung S. Bui

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to November 15, 2003, from the Office Action dated July 15, 2003. The petition filing fee of \$110.00 and a Response to Office Action are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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Date: November 14, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman LLP

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**FEE TRANSMITTAL  
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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## **FEE CALCULATION**

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity			Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	10	$30^\circ$	0	X	18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	$6^\circ$	0	X	86.00	=	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent						=	

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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	<u>Fee Description</u>
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over

*\*\*or number previously paid, if greater. For Reissues, see below.*

**SUBMITTED BY**

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